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For: OPTICAL INTERCONNECT IN HIGH-SPEED  
MEMORY SYSTEMS

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Examiner: D. D. Tran

**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING RCE**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Madam:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated January 22, 2009, finally rejecting claims 1-9, 12, 14-25, 27-36, 38, 40, 44-53, 56-69, 71-82, 84, 88-89, 91, 95, 97-98, 100-108, 111-115, 117-120, 122, 126-133, 136-140, 142-145, 147 and 151-163, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.